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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
Douglas Alan Ruth et al. :

Application No.: 09/774,450 . :

Group Art Unit: 2838

Filing Date: January 30, 2001 : :

Examiner: J. Maples

Title: BRAZED CERAMIC SEAL :
FOR BATTERIES WITH :
TITANIUM-TITANIUM-6A 1-4V :
CASES :

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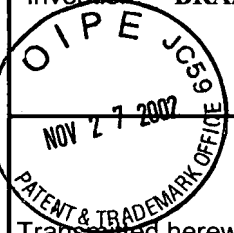

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<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div></div><div><u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></div><div><div style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">RECEIVED DEC - 5 2002 TC 2800 MAIL ROOM</div></div></div> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p>The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th colspan="6">CLAIMS AS AMENDED</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</th><th>HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR</th><th>NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</th><th>RATE</th><th>ADDITIONAL FEE</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>TOTAL CLAIMS</td><td>31 -</td><td>28 =</td><td>3 x</td><td>\$9.00</td><td>\$27.00</td></tr><tr><td>INDEP. CLAIMS</td><td>4 -</td><td>3 =</td><td>1 x</td><td>\$42.00</td><td>\$42.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5">Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/></td><td>\$0.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5">TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</td><td>\$69.00</td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0921 in the amount of \$69.00 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0921 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div> _____ Signature</div><div>Dated: 11-27-02</div></div> <div><div>M. Elizabeth Bush Reg. No. 38,402 Quallion LLC Legal Department P.O. Box 923127 Sylmar, CA 91392-3127 818-833-2003 ph 818-833-2065 fax</div><div><div>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</div><div>_____ Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div><div>_____ Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div></div></div> <div><div>CC:</div><div><div>RECEIVED DEC 09 2002 TC 1700</div></div></div>					CLAIMS AS AMENDED							CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	TOTAL CLAIMS	31 -	28 =	3 x	\$9.00	\$27.00	INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	3 =	1 x	\$42.00	\$42.00	Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$69.00
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